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JUDGE J. F. SANDERS DIES VERY SUDDENLY.

Heart Failure Is Cause. Death Came at Hotel in Enterprise, Today at 11 O'clock.

Judge J. F. Sanders, one of Coffee County's most prominent citizens died at Enterprise today at 11 o'clock of heart failure.

He went to Enterprise today on legal business when he died very suddenly.

Judge Sanders had a wide circle of friends, was a distinguished lawyer and his death is to be deplored.

He leaves a loving wife, who

was Miss Julia Lee, daughter of the late Capt. C. S. Lee, and two little daughters.

The Clipper extends its heart felt condolence to them.

The funeral will take place not earlier than Wednesday afternoon and may be late as Thursday.

A number of Elbians went to Enterprise at noon to escort the corpse home.

The Blue Hotel Changes Proprietors.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Brandon and Miss Broxson, formerly of Bellwood, Ala., arrived yesterday to take charge of the Blue Hotel which has been conducted during the last few months by Mrs. Felder who has moved to West Point, Ga. Mr. and Mrs. Brandon are experienced in the hotel business. We are glad to welcome these good people to our town.

Building Of New Baptist Church Postponed.

At a conference of the Elba Baptist Church Sunday, it was decided to postpone indefinitely the building of a new church.

A few months ago the church decided to build a new house of worship and a lot was selected and purchased for the purpose. Subscription were also taken, but the amount needed for the building desired was not raised, and therefore, the matter was postponed.

It is not to be understood that the church has, by this action, abandoned the undertaking, for this is not the case. It simply means delay.

Hudson--Bray.

Sunday morning at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. Herbert H. Hudson was married to Miss Gussie Bray.

Judge S. N. Rowe, performed the ceremony in a very impressive manner.

The bride is the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Bray, of Beat 10, while the groom is an excellent young man of good habits and the son of Mr. James H. Hudson of Beat 10.

The Clipper joins with the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hudson in wishing them a long and happy married life.

O'Neal and His Co-workers In Lauderdale.

Gov. O'Neal has taken his faithful liquor leaders, viz: Jesse F. Stallings, Leon McCord, and Tom Long, and has hurried to his home county, Lauderdale, to fight the prohibitionists there who are working to keep saloons from returning to that county.

Mr. O'Neal verily believes that it would be a great calamity if his administration should fail to put saloons back into his home county. So he leaves the responsible duties of his dignified and honorable office, and as chief executive of the great state of Alabama, he hastens to the help of the liquor forces in Lauderdale, and carries along the men who have rallied to his call before.

It would be too bad for the governor's home county to repudiate his liquor system and his whiskey administration. If a

Italy and Turkey Are At War. First Naval Battle Yesterday.

Rome, Sept. 30.—It is officially announced here that Italy and Turkey are in a state of war, beginning at half past two yesterday afternoon.

No sooner had the time fixed in the ultimatum expired than ignoring Turkey's conciliatory request for a period of delay, Italy declared war and Turkish representatives in Italy were handed their passports. From the hour of the landing of the Italian force at Tripoli no message has been received from there.

The reason is given that Turkey has failed to meet the demands contained in the Italian ultimatum.

Italy will provide for the safety of Italians and all other foreigners in Tripoli and Cyrene, using to this end all the means at her disposal.

A report from Salonica states that an Italian cruiser has destroyed a Turkish destroyer, in the Harbor of Prevesa, in Epirus, and landed troops.

In the naval battle the Italian warships of the Ionian squadron attacked a Turkish flotilla of destroyers and two Turkish ships were badly damaged by shells, went ashore in the gulf of Arta.

Italian forces have landed at Tripoli and Benghazi. The Turkish cabinet has resigned. The government has decided not to oppose an armed resistance to the occupation of Tripoli, and to take no measures against Italian residents in Turkey. It hopes by adopting that attitude that Italy will not treat the Tripolitans as a conquered people.

Trouble between Italy and Turkey which culminated yesterday in a declaration of war at Rome, dates back to 1875, when the making of the treaty concluding the Russo-Turkish war, the powers are understood to have agreed to permit Italy a "pacific penetration of Tripoli." Turkey claims this right has been respected ever since.

Italy has colonized Tripoli until her interests in that African province are very great. She has asserted however, that her subjects have been mistreated by the Ottoman authorities and constantly discriminated against.

Tripoli which is situated on the north coast of Africa, and directly south of Italy, has long been under Turkish control.

The Ottoman government has, according to report, become lax in its manner of government of Tripoli.

It is the claim of Italy that Tripoli, which is directly south of the Italian peninsula, harbors many thousands of Italians, and that these Italians are without the proper protection.

Italy claims that the nearness of Tripoli to her own domain makes it imperative that Italians there be protected.

Recently the Arabian population of Tripoli, which is the predominant race, has shown marked disapproval of the alleged encroachments of Italian enterprises in their country, and have threatened to drive the Italians from Tripoli.

Representation of these anarchistic conditions were made to Turkey by the Italian government.

On Thursday an ultimatum was sent to Italy by Turkey, in which it was stated that Italians in Tripoli must be protected, and that Italy proposed to do this, in view of the failure of Turkey to do so.

Turkey's reply to this ultimatum, sent to Rome yesterday, failed to appease the Italian min-

istry, and a declaration of war followed.

The relative strength of the two nations now at war are given as follows:

Italy's peace strength, 240,000 men; reserves, 800,000. Total war strength, 1,046,000; available for duty, 1,200,000.

Turkey's peace strength, 375,000 reserves, 350,000; total war strength 725,000; available for duty, 2,000,000.

Italy has seven modern battleships six older ships, eight armored cruisers, fourteen first-class cruisers, thirteen gunboats, thirteen torpedo boat destroyers, 158 torpedo boats, six submarines and 29,941 officers and men in the navy.

Turkey has five old battleships, one first-class cruiser, two second-class cruisers, two third-class cruisers, two gunboats, four torpedo boat destroyers, eight torpedo boats 20,800 officers and men in the navy.

Notorious Men Are Licensed.

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 30.—Sheriff Walter K. McAdory Thursday night made a casual inspection of the first legal saloons in Birmingham under the Parks and Smith bill as authorized by the ex-cise commission appointed by Governor O'Neal.

Speaking of the inspection the Sheriff said:

"I went around to some of the places and saw them doing a big business. I saw boys—boys yet in their teens to all appearances—being sold beer and drinking it on the premises. I saw men who appeared to be under the influence of liquor or beer being sold further drinks or drinking it."

In an open letter to the ex-cise commission yesterday the Sheriff said:

"I see from records in the probate office that you have granted permits to several good men, men who have never given officers any trouble and I also see that you have granted permits to several open and notorious violators of the law and blind tigers."

"Now, if you are going to pursue the policy of giving such men licenses that have been open and notorious in violating the law, I do not see how you can expect me to co-operate with you."

Self-Reliance.

By ORISON SWETT MARDEN. In Success Magazine.

Every normal person is capable of independence and self-reliance, yet comparatively few people ever develop their ability to stand alone. It is so much easier to lean, to trial, to follow somebody else, to let others do the thinking and the planning and the work.

Almost everybody you see is leaning on something or somebody. Some lean on their money, some on friends; some depend upon their clothes, their pedigree, their social standing; but how seldom we see a man who stands fair and square on his own feet; who goes through life on his own merits, and is self-reliant and resourceful.

How few people stand for anything in particular! The majority of mankind are merely so many individuals in the census; they help make a little larger crowd; but how few men stand above or beyond their fellows and are self-sufficient.

In later life we never quite forgive those who have allowed us to lean upon them, for we know that it has deprived us of our birthright.

A child is not satisfied when his father shows him how to do a certain thing. But watch the exultant expression on his face

when by actually doing it he has conquered the thing himself.

This new sense of conquest is an added power which increases self-confidence and self-respect.

Henry Ward Beecher used to tell the following story of how he was taught, when a boy, to depend on himself:

"I was sent to the blackboard, and went, uncertain, full of whimpering.

"That lesson must be learned," said my teacher, in a quiet tone, but with terrible intensity. All explanations and excuses he trod under foot with utter scornfulness. "I want that problem; I don't want any reason why you haven't it," he would say.

"I did study two hours."

"That's nothing to me; I want the lesson. You need not study it at all, or you may study it ten hours, just to suit yourself. I want the lesson."

"It was tough for green a boy, but it seasoned me. In less than a month I had the most intense sense of intellectual independence and courage to defend my recitations."

"One day his cold, calm voice fell upon me in the midst of a demonstration, 'No!'"

"I hesitated, and then went back to the beginning; and on reaching the same point again, 'No!' uttered in a tone of conviction, barred my progress."

"The next! I sat down in red confusion."

"He, too, was stopped with 'No!,' but went right on, and finished; and, as he sat down, was rewarded with 'Very well.'"

"Why," whimpered I, "I recited it just as he did, and you said 'No!'"

"Why didn't you say 'Yes,' and stick to it? It is not enough to know your lesson; you must know that you know it. You have learned nothing until you are sure. If all the world say 'No,' your business is to say 'Yes,' and prove it!"

One of the greatest delusions that a human being could ever have is that he is permanently benefited by continued assistance from others.

It is self-help, not pulls, self-reliance, not leaning upon others, that develops stamina and strength.

I have never known a young man in any occupation or profession to amount to much who was always waiting around for a "pull"; for somebody to help him or give him a boost.

"He who sits on the cushion of advantage goes to sleep," said Emerson.

What is there so paralyzing to a strenuous endeavor, so fatal to self-exertion, to self-help, as to be helped, as to feel that there is no necessity for it because somebody else has done everything for us!

"One of the most disgusting sights in the world is that of a young man with healthy blood, broad shoulders, a presentable pair of calves, and one hundred and fifty pounds more or less of bone and muscle, standing with his hands in his pockets longing for help," some one has truly said.

Did you ever think how many of the people you know are just waiting for something? Many of them do not know just what; but they are waiting for something. They have an indefinite idea that something is coming to them, that there will be some fortunate conjunction of circumstances, or something will happen which will make an opening for them, or some one will help them, so that without very great education or preparation or capital, they can get a start for themselves, or get ahead.

(Continued in Friday's Issue.)

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POOR ORIGINAL BLEED THROUGH

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ELBA, ALA., OCT. 3, 1911.

Why does Gov. O'Neal want saloons in his home county?

Elba needs another railroad, and needs it badly.

Gov. O'Neal must not have any boys in his home county.

Samson is going to have a great fair from 28th to 29th of this month.

The Advertiser says it does charge Mr. O'Neal's 1911 legislature with extravagance.

The saloonists have just cause to be proud of their governor, the Hon. Emmett O'Neal.

The Advertiser in Sunday's issue pays Representative Pittman, of Coffee, a compliment for his record in the last legislature.

Gov. O'Neal is the champion of the saloon crowd. He has been stumping his home county in behalf of the liquor forces.

The next legislature should stand for tax reform in Alabama. The "strong box" is becoming a great burden to the tax payers.

Sentiment for law enforcement is gaining ground, and ere long the liquor interests will be forced to quit saying "prohibition will not prohibit."

Gov. O'Neal carried his "Jesse" to his home county to make the "political person" argument against prohibition. May the good Lord save the state.

The editor of the Peoples' Ledger seems to be laboring under the impression that the only way to inform the reading public is to publish matters in his paper. But it is human to err.

Will the time never come when the Montgomery Advertiser will quit blowing ex-Gov. Comer and his legislature for all the evils of bad government in Alabama? Governor O'Neal deserves no censure in the estimation of the Advertiser. He is the Advertiser's governor.

The Montgomery Advertiser, in a fit of anger, charges The Peoples' Ledger with doing violence both to the truth and to the English language. But it might be suggested that the "pot should not call the kettle black." The Advertiser is a model, indeed, in speech and veracity.

Editor Ed M. Johnson has the management of the Geneva County Fair, to be held at Samson from the 23rd to 28th of this month. He was in Elba yesterday doing some effective advertising. Bro. Johnson is one of the ablest and most successful newspaper men in Alabama. He is well known throughout southeast Alabama, having published papers at Ozark, Pickard, Enterprise, Geneva, Florida and Samson. At present he has no paper, having sold the Samson a few months ago. But we predict that he will not stay out of the field of journalism long. He suits the business to well to quit.

Shiloh Church had a special day Sunday. There was preaching in the morning and afternoon and also sacred harp singing. A large crowd attended, including many Elbians.

Country Town Sayings.

By "Ed" Howe.

In The Birmingham News.

When a man has a little pain, he goes around saying he feels as though some-one is sticking a knife into his vitals.

Nothing makes a man feel sillier than to shake hands with a woman who pulls her hand away quickly, as though she had encountered a snake.

A couple of months after you begin a law suit, it doesn't look so favorable.

The other day I heard a hard working married woman tell of the best time she ever had—the three weeks she was in the hospital, when she had an operation performed.

Nearly every man will strike at a moth, if one flies around him as he sits at home; but only a thoroughly domestic man takes a fly or two out with him through the screen door every time he leaves the house.

When a man begins to tell his side of the story, and says: "Well, I'll tell you just how it was," he probably intends to tell it fairly, but, as the account proceeds, he is apt to wander away from the truth.

There is always deception in politeness; few people take politeness for what it is worth.

A man who is looking for "gentle work," is not looking for work at all.

The only naturalness is found in private life. Invite a modest citizen to read a "paper" before his society, and he will fill it so full of big feeling that his friends will wonder what book he copied it from.

A woman enjoys kissing so much and objects so much to men kissing her, that I often regret that the poverty of human nature is such that a woman can't kiss herself.

I never knew a man who didn't often do good deeds. You probably do enough good, but are not careful enough of your bad habits.

I have noticed that when a man does a poor job of work for me he can make a perfect explanation; nothing I may say can convince him that he is in any way to blame.

Some men hate to be husbands as naturally as some boys hate to go to school.

Your bad habits are exaggerated; another reason for having as few as possible. If you are seen coming out of a saloon once a day, people will say they saw you coming out a dozen times.

I sometimes fear, after I have been in a big crowd, that there are a good many ugly people.

I never knew why one who worked more than he should, but I know thousands who do not work enough.

Horse DOCTOR

Is Coming.

Dr. T. A. Koff,

Of Dothan,

Will be in ELBA,

Tuesday, October 10,

Enterprise, October 9,

Opp, October 11.

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We have just received a fresh shipment of

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We have the most complete line of

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that has ever been had in Elba, and every article is always fresh.

Give us a trial order and we'll win you for a customer.

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South Side Square. Elba, Ala.

O'Neal to Refuse to Give Evidence.

Birmingham, Ala., Sept. 30.—Gov. O'Neal will not go before the grand jury of Etowah county to testify against Tarvin, the man who made affidavit that he had given false testimony in the case of J. T. Howie, convicted of selling liquor.

"The grand jury has no right to summon me and demand that I give them evidence regarding my motive for exercising executive clemency," said Governor O'Neal here yesterday.

Commissioner's Sale.

In the Probate Court of At Elba, Ala. Coffee County Alabama, U. S. A.

In the matter of the Petition of Susie Burton for the sale of lands for division among joint owners.

Under and by virtue of a decree of the Probate Court of said county, rendered in the above stated matter by the Hon. S. N. Rowe, Judge of said court, on the 24th of October, 1911, ordering the sale of the lands hereinafter described for the purpose of division among the joint owners, on the grounds that the same can not be fairly and equitably divided among said owners without a sale thereof, I will on Monday, the 30th day of October, 1911, within the legal hours of sale, sell in front of the Court House door at Elba, Alabama, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described lands:

SE 1/4 of NW 1/4, less two and one half acres in the NE corner, and the SW 1/4 of NE 1/4, less two and one half acres in the NW corner, and ten acres, more or less, in the NE corner of the NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, known as the mill ten acre lot, all in Section 25, Township 5, Range 19, in Coffee County, Alabama, containing eighty five acres, more or less.

I will sell said lands by virtue of said decree and a Commission which has been issued to me by said S. N. Rowe, Judge of Probate Court. Said sale will be subject to the confirmation of the court, and the proceeds of the same will be divided between said joint owners as their interests appear in said decree.

This, the 2nd day of October, 1911.

Claude Riley, Commissioner.

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Account of

Agricultural and Industrial Exposition,

October 16 to 22, inclusive.

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Fine Horse Racing, Exciting Motor Racing, Thrilling Balloon Racing, Spectacular Fireworks Display each night, Great Southern Corn Palace, \$16,000.00 in Premiums Offered, \$4,000.00 of which is paid by the State of Alabama.

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Perhaps You Have Never Given Much Consideration

to their purchase, but think for a minute of the long days the little ones must spend in using them and how much pleasure and satisfaction it means if everything is just like they want it.

Something that does not suit is a keen disappointment and now is the time that your children are forming habits and ideas that will have a great influence on their futures. Failure to equip them with the proper supplies is an actual handicap.

We have taken all these features into consideration in buying our school supplies and the children will receive the same prices, if they come alone, as you do.

Remember we are the school book agents for the territory around Elba, and that we have on hand at all times a large stock of all text books. We can supply your wants any time. Come to our store and buy your supplies.

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Tax Notice.

Tax Collector's and Assessor's Appointments.

Pursuant to the law as found in Act approved March 5, 1901, page 2330, Acts 1900-1, we will attend at the following times and places for the purpose of assessing and collecting taxes for the County of Coffee and State of Alabama, to-wit:

First Round.

At Victoria, Monday, October 30th, 1911.

At Enterprise, four days beginning on Wednesday, October 25, and ending the following Saturday.

Second Round.

At Victoria, Saturday November 19.

At Enterprise, four days beginning Wednesday, November 22, and ending the following Saturday.

Third Round.

At Victoria, Monday December 4th.

At Enterprise, four days beginning Wednesday, December 13, and ending the following Saturday.

On all other legal business days from October 1st, to December 31, we will be at our offices in the court house at Elba for the purpose of assessing and collecting taxes.

Taxes Fall Due on October 1st, and become delinquent after Dec. 31, after which interest and costs accrue.

Property taxes may be paid by those who so desire between October 1st and February 1st.

Property should be listed for assessment between October 1 and January 1, after which date costs accrue. Come yourself to list your property for assessment, unless tax payer is woman or disabled.

Tax payers are urged to meet as early as practicable, for paying taxes and assessing taxes.

J M Folsom, Tax Collector,
Jack D Lee, Tax Assessor.

Hot Fight In Lauderdale.

Florence, Ala., Sept. 30.—With in the past few days the fight by the local option advocates to capture Lauderdale County and of the prohibitionists to retain it has "soured up the animals" and the campaign will lose nothing in intensity between now and Tuesday when the election is held.

A big barbecue is in progress at Mars Hill, four miles north of Florence, with Jasper, Jesse Stallings, of Birmingham and Leon McCord advocating the return of saloons. A fine barbecue dinner was a feature of the rally and a good sized crowd in attendance.

The three last named will speak at different points in the county Monday.

A. E. Walker, of Montgomery, formerly of Florence, arrived at Florence Thursday and took charge of the fight for the saloon advocates. On Thursday Tom Lang, of Jasper, challenged Lieutenant-Governor Walter D. Seed, who is stomping the county against the saloons, to a joint debate. The challenge was referred by Mr. Seed to the prohibition committee, who turned it down because it would necessitate Mr. Seed cancelling dates which he had been scheduled to fill.

Congressman R. P. Hobson made speeches for the prohibition committee Friday at Arkdell, Centre Star, and Florence, drawing large crowds. Mr. Seed spoke Friday at Green Hill, Lexington and Mitchell beats and Rev. George W. Freeman spoke Friday evening in East Florence at a prohibition rally.

5 or 6 doses of "666" will cure any case of chills and fever. Price 25c.

5 or 6 doses of Kin-Lax will cure any case of biliousness. City Drug Co.

Fire Insurance.

I have taken charge of the Insurance business of Boyd Bros., and same will have the prompt and careful attention as heretofore. All policies will be renewed where not advised to the contrary.

Nothing but first class responsible Companies will be represented, so in case of fire you will have what you have paid for---PROTECTION.

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Prompt Powerful Permanent
Its beneficial effects are usually felt very quickly when other remedies are useless.
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A positive specific for Blood Poison and skin diseases.
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Every Body Needs. A good salve and Dr. Bell's Antiseptic Save is the best. It is a creamy snow white ointment Guaranteed for all skin diseases 25c sold every where.

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT SAVINGS DEPARTMENT

Four Per Cent Interest Compounded Quarterly Paid on Time Deposits

On October 1st we will open a Savings Department in our Bank in which we will pay four per cent compounded quarterly on savings accounts.

The principal desire of the officers of this Bank is to BETTER THE CONDITION OF THE FARMER and as there is, a demand from the farmers for this class of business, we will open this department October first.

We especially invite the farmers of this section to come and open a savings account.

Our Bank being under the supervision of the United States Government makes your money absolutely safe when deposited here.

Our Vault is also protected by an Electrical Burglar Alarm System that Gives Absolute Protection from any Attempt at burglary.

We offer you the following security:

Capital Stock -Paid in-	=	\$50,000.00
Surplus	=	25,000.00
Shareholders Liability	=	50,000.00
Security to Depositors	=	\$125,000.00

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CHAS. W. MIZELL, Cashier.

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O'NEAL'S HOME COUNTY GOES DRY, MAJORITY 2 to 1

His Home Box Dry by 233 Majority. His Part In Campaign Is Repudiated.

Florence, Ala., Oct. 5.—In the local option election held in Lauderdale county today prohibition carried by a vote almost two to one with only three small boxes to hear from the wets received 608 to 1,172 for prohibition. Only three boxes in the county went wet and by only small majorities. Florence, Governor O'Neal's home box went dry by a majority of 238. In Florence the vote for the sale of liquor was 204 against sale 187, dispensaries 221, saloons 104.

Eufaula and Chattahoochee Railroad Incorporates With \$100,000 Stock.

Montgomery Journal.

Declaring its intention to construct and maintain a line of railroad from some point on the Seaboard Air Line, in Russell county, Ala., through Eufaula, Ala., to St. Andrews Bay, Fla., the Eufaula and Chattahoochee Valley Railroad Company today filed papers of incorporation with the secretary of state. The company's authorized capital is \$100,000, of which \$10,000 has been paid in. Its principal place of business in Alabama is Eufaula.

The territory to be traversed, it is announced in the papers, will be from Eufaula to some point on the Seaboard Air Line Railroad in Russell county, Ala., and from Eufaula to St. Andrews Bay, Fla., and such intermediate points as the board of directors may hereafter determine upon.

Direction of Line.

From Eufaula it is proposed to build and construct the railroad in a northerly direction to intersect with the Seaboard in Russell county. This intersection is to the northern terminus of the railroad, but the point of intersection is to be hereafter determined. The company deserves the right to equip, operate and maintain the road.

The stockholders of the new railroad are: J. F. Poy, A. H. Merrill, W. Lawrence Wild, Geo. H. Dent, R. Q. Edmondson, Bro. C. S. McDowell, Jr., E. P. Thomas, Robert Moulthrop, Dr. W. S. Britt, H. D. Engram, Dean and Moore, Harmon Lampley, Jake Oppenheimer, R. D. Thomas Theo. Pryden, H. C. Holleman and others.

Uses Shot Gun For Self Destruction.

Troy Messenger.

News comes from near Oates, Cross Roads, in the northern portion of the county, of the death of John Pridgen, by his own hand.

The story goes that his mother feared he would commit the rash act, being warned by his actions. Accordingly all weapons were taken from the house and the one used in the fatal tragedy was a borrowed weapon.

Pridgen is said to have committed the deed with a shotgun, placing the muzzle of the gun to his breast near his heart, and pushing the trigger back with a stick. When found, there was the grim but silent evidence showing the methods of the tragedy. The deceased was a young man, just about of age.

Funeral of Judge J. F. Sanders

The funeral exercises of Judge J. F. Sanders which were conducted at the family residence Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock, were attended by a large number of relatives and friends.

Rev. J. F. Feagin of the Methodist Church, assisted by Rev. D. P. Lee, conducted the services and paid noble tribute to the fidelity and loyalty of our deceased friend and citizen. He expressed regret that such a gifted and promising life should be cut down so early in manhood.

The music was rendered by a choir of selected voices and was beautiful and impressive. The floral offerings expressive of the esteem and love of friends were unusually beautiful. At 4 o'clock the body was borne to the cemetery, the pall bearers being members of the Coffee County Bar.

After a short service the body was interred in the family burial ground.

Mrs. Henry D. Clayton Kisses Major T. J. Carlisle.

While in Enterprise last week Congressman Henry D. Clayton made an address, and he was introduced to his audience by Major T. J. Carlisle. With eloquence, the major eulogized and lauded our distinguished Congressman, and with glowing tributes and patriotic utterance told of his past, present and future greatness, so much, it is said, that after he had finished, as a token of her appreciation, Mrs. Henry D. Clayton, kissed the major.

Few men indeed can attain such distinction as the major. Eliminating all politics, we would say that he won the kiss of the Congressman's wife by his patriotic, matchless eloquence, and great oratory.

End of World is Predicted.

Washington, Oct. 5.—The second coming of Christ and the end of the world are foretold by the war in which Turkey and Italy are engaged.

This is the view held by the Seventh Day Adventists, according to Rev. Kit. C. Russell, of Tacoma Park, D. C., an exponent of that faith.

"The Adventists have maintained for many years," said Mr. Russell, "that the refusal of the powers to help the Turk, his final expulsion from Europe and the scramble for his territory by the nations would be the signal for the second appearance of Christ. The basis for the belief is the prophecies in the Bible. In the book of Daniel is found:

"And he shall plant the tabernacles of his palaces between the seas and the glorious holy mount; yet he shall come to his end, and none shall help him."

"The passage referred to is conceded by commentators to be none other than the Turkish empire. And the text shows that this power shall come to his end and none shall help him."

Then Christ shall come and deliver his people. "Every one that shall be found written in the book."

Mr. Russell contended the planting of the tabernacles of the Turkish empire "between the seas and the glorious holy mountains" to mean that the Ottoman would transfer his capital to Jerusalem. He said the Adventists do not attempt to say just when these events would take place, but consider the present embroglio as a step toward their consummation.

It is impossible to become wealthy under such conditions.—Dr. George T. Winston.

For 6 doses of Kin-Lax will cure any case of biliousness.

SERIOUS SHOOTING AFFAIR.

J. H. Nolin and Amy Hall Shot.

Mr. J. H. Nolin, of Beat 21, was seriously wounded Tuesday night by a gun shot, the entire load entering his left thigh. He was shot by Ervin Hall, a tenant on his place.

It seems that some trouble had arisen about the crop some time ago which had not been adjusted. Hall had left the place but returned Tuesday night to remove his wife, and two of his brothers had returned with him and all were armed with guns. Nolin also had his gun, and after he was shot by Ervin Hall, it is reported, Nolin fired on Hall and his brothers, striking Amy Hall a boy about 14 years old, and inflicting very serious wounds on him.

Darkey Sheriff Davis on Wednesday arrested Hall and placed him in jail here. Nolin is being attended by two physicians. The young Hall who was shot by Nolin secreted himself in the woods and was not found until about ten o'clock Wednesday morning. A Mr. Day found him and carried the boy to his home where he is being treated.

News came to Elba yesterday that a son of Mr. J. H. Nolin on Wednesday night shot the other brother of Ervin Hall, but the Clipper has not learned the particulars of the last shooting, and cannot say how badly the other brother of Ervin Hall is wounded, nor how it occurred.

Thou or I.

Some day, dear, one of us—we twain—Will watch alone a tear, And call the other one in vain.

In voice of hopeless fears, As in death's silence one of us shall lie—Which shall it be, thou or I?

Were one of us by death bereft, So of love's thought and speech What other word of hope is left To utter each to each?

So one shall watch, and one in death shall lie! Which will it be, dear, thou or I?

Beside life's pathway as we go One will grow faint and fall, And seek another way to know Where death shall not prevail; And one will wait alone as days go by, For yet a longer space

God's pitying grace! Which shall it be, dear, thou or I? I may be first to understand, The life so far from thine; Mine may be woe to fold thy hand, Grown still and cold in mine; As sign of death across thy breast to lie

God chastens others so, Thank him, we do not know Which it will be, dear, thou or I? —Harriet Maxwell Converse.

New Brockton Notes.

Mr. Bresford Horn, who has been in Jakin, Ga., for some time, has returned to old Alabama.

Among the young people, who attended the singing convention at Victoria, were: Misses Allie Law, Norma Rue-Sawyers, Lena Marsh, Ethel Bell, and Messrs. Larnie Horn, Mack Purifoy, Henry Sawyers, Clem Crosson, Fats Bell, Willie Hutchinson. They report a jolly time.

Mr. Charlie Dickert and Miss Isio Marsh, were happily married Sunday. Mr. Dickert is a prominent saw mill boy of New Brockton. Miss Marsh is a beautiful and accomplished young lady of near Samson, Ala. Their many friends wish them much happiness.

Messrs. Albert Payne, and Luth Logan of Enterprise, were the guests of Miss Stella Wilson Sunday afternoon.

School Girl.

Pain in the side? Rub on and rub in Hauford's Balsam thoroughly.

Hon. Kyle B. Price Returned from Washington, D. C.

The many friends of Hon. Kyle B. Price are glad to know that he has returned home after an extended stay in Washington D. C., where he has been engaged in connection with the extra session of Congress. He will take up his law practice here again, and continue to make Elba his home. We welcome him back with us.

Hobson's Views.

The Elba Clipper and the Andalusia Star are in a heated controversy over the views of Congressman M. P. Hobson, on the prohibition question, the Clipper contending that he has a right to think as he pleases and the Star saying he has violated party rules by ignoring the state democratic platform which called for local option. The whole controversy seems to be based on Congressman Hobson making speeches in favor of prohibition.

"Congressman Hobson is a resident of Alabama," says the Star. "The platform of the party in this state stands for local option, Hobson is another fellow who repudiated platform pledges by stumping the state for constitutional prohibition."

There are thousands and thousands of good democrats who sought to put the prohibition amendment in the constitution. They are good democrats today and are found fighting within the ranks of the party. There are many who favored prohibition who were against putting it into the constitution. Prohibition in many counties has not worked out as well as many were led to believe when the state-wide act was passed. There was nothing in the platform about the legislature enacting the state-wide prohibition law, but it was done. Editor Doty does not mean these legislators are not democrats. However at the end of the editorial Editor Doty answers himself when he says: "Every citizen of Alabama has a party right to stand on the dry side of local option by counties and no one can or will question his right to do so."

Congressman Hobson has a right to his views on this important question. You have to give him credit for being sincere and for speaking out his convictions. After hearing him make a speech you will be convinced he has given the subject deep study and thought and has arrived at the conclusion prohibition is what the people should have. Here we find many who differ. It is a matter a man must settle with himself. It is a great public question and one not to be carelessly considered and thrown aside. It is going to play an important part in politics for years to come. Unfortunately it cannot be settled one way or the other at the present time but so divided are the people the chances of eliminating it from politics is very slim.

It may be a political question or it may be a social problem. Many have different views about it, but nevertheless, it is in politics and has caused much bitterness and hard feeling which will take years to wipe out. As we understand local option it is left with the people to decide. It means the voters may take either side and still be democrats.

While we may differ from Captain Hobson in some of his views we do believe he is doing what he thinks is right and what he thinks he should do. Just because we differ on political or social questions is no reason why we cannot still be democrats.—Montgomery Journal.

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